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| Serial No. : | 09/851,231 | Art Unit : | 1772 |
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| For : | METHOD FOR PRODUCING MICROCHANNELS HAVING CIRCULAR CROSS-SECTIONS IN GLASS | | |

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is a preliminary amendment in a RCE Application. It comprises a response to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2003 in the parent application. Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: